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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1892.

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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. O. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & Gotoh, Ludgate Circus, E.C. Bates Hendy & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, weadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 100 Fleet Street

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### Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE.

TR. MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE has C. P. REMEDIOS, RESIGNED).

By Order of the Board, THE STEAM LAUNCH Co., 3 D. Hongkoug, December 8 1892. NOTICE.

AR HORMASJEE EDALJEE BAM-PARTNER from the 21st October, 1892. TATA & Co.

Hongkorig, December 6, 1892 Banks.

TTONGKONG AND SHANGBAL BANKING CORPORATION:

PAID-UP CAPITAL .......\$10,000,000. RESERVE FUND......\$ 3,300,000. PROP'TORS...... OF \$10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-T. E. DAVIES, Esq. - Chairman. H. Hoppros, Esq. - Deputy Chairman. Hon. James J. Bell | Julius Kramer, Esq. J. S Moses, Esq. C. J. Holliday, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. Carl Jantzen, Esq. | Gerald Slade, Esq.

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Hongkong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of 2 percent per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000. . . - : On Fixed Deposits .--

For 6 months 31 per cent. per annum. - សារា និងមាន in excess of \$200,000. F. DE BOVIS,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, September 28, 1892. 1435

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

ITTHE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on an-

plication. 31 PER CENT. per abusta. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SPANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per follows :-

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000. STESCRIBED CAPITAL .....£ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE - HONGRONS.

Court of Directors. D. GILLIES, Eaq. CHOW TUNG SHANG CHAN KITSHAN, Esq. C. J. HIRST, Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. KWAN HOI CHUEN, Esq.

Chief Manager. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Advisory Committee in London. Palmer & Co.

Bankers. Pare's Banking Coy, and THE ALLIANCE BANK (LD.)

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND. Yokohama-D. FRABER, Manager.

Shanghai - O. J. GALLOWAY, Manager. Amoy - J. Anderson, Manager. With Sub-Branch at Feechow.

Current Accounts opened. Money received on Deposit. Drafts issued. Bills purchased and collected. Advances made on accurities or goods in neutral godowns.

Usual Bank Agency business undertaken. Interest for 12 months Fixed 5 %. do. do. do. 4%. 3 do. do. 3 %. Current Accounts For rates of Interest for other periods apply to the MANAGER.

Hongkong, November 26, 1892.

Office, No. 37, 3rd Floor. Hongkong, August 23, 1892.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That the Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICES of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st Inst. at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending

November 30th, 1892. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st Instant to JOHN D. HUMPHBEYS & SON.

General Managers. Hongkong, December 8, 1892...

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT FOCIETY THE Third Annual MEETING of the HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SO-CLETY will be held in the CITY HALL, on THURSDAY, 22nd December, at Noon.

Hongkong, December 8, 1892. ITALIAN CONVENT.

FANCY FAIR.

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONvent begs to inform her kind Friends been appointed SECRETARY vice (Mr. | and the Public generally that there will be on behalf of the Institution a 'GRAND' SALE' of Userul and FANCY ARTICLES, suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, at

very moderate prices, held at the Convent on the loth and 16th December. N.B. - The Holders of the Tickets for Prizes are reminded that they should be sent in on the 17th when the drawing will take place.

Tickets can be bought on that day if desired. Hongkong, December 7, 1892

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SPECIAL WINTER RATES. The Kates for Board and Lodging during the WINTER MONTHS, from 1st November to 31at March, have been REDUCED 82

Ose perton, one day ... ... \$ 2.50 Married couple, do. .... One person, one month ... ... 50.00 Married couple, do. - ... For full Particulars apply to

VICTORIA HOTEL. Hougkong, October 25, 1892. Dr. ESENJEE'S

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OOD morning, Gentlemen? Do you wish to prevent premature death from diseases, then ask at once for Esenjer's WONDERFUL RING? It curos Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Piles, Liver Complaints within a thort period, and rapidly cuts short all attacks of Epilepsy, Spasms, Colic, Palpitation, Hysteria, and it keeps the blood free from all diseases by putting it Steamers. only on the finger of the left hand. I can strongly state as a means of preserving has been used by several European Ludies sunnicators. and Gentlemen with great success, for THOMAS CARMICHAEL, Esq., Messrs Dent, which I hold several unsolicited testi. ROOMS, the NEW BAR and Public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American monials. It is the most wonderful dis. Tables) are fitted with every convenience. John Buttery, Esq., Messrs John Buttery | covery of the day. I have no hesitation in stating before the public that all house- Horel. C. B. STUART WORTLEY, Esq., Q.C., M.P. holds should not be without it; and its price is also very little, only Rs. 1/8 including packing and postage, &c. Dozen Rs. 12/-; dozen Rs. 7/8-. Apply to

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THE Private Hotel heretofore carried on I in WINDSOR HOUSE has now been Removed to CONNAUGHT HOUSE. Cuisine under European management.

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WINES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 3, 1892.

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LARGE SELECTION OF WHITE AND STRIPE FLANNELS AND SERGES.

TROPICAL TWEEDS, HOMESPUNS AND COATINGS TERAL HATS (ALL COLORS) AND SUM HATS. BOOTS AND SHOES. WATERPROOF COATS AND UMBRELLAS.

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HARIFF FROM DECEMBER 1st. 1892. UNTIL APRIL 30th, 1893, SUBJECT TO ACCOMMODATION BEING AVAILABLE. Board and Lodging by the Day, one person ... ... ... ... ... ... ... \$ 3.00 Board and Lodging by the Day for Married Couples occupying one room ... ... Board and Lodging by the Month, one person ... ... ... ... Board and Lodging by the Month for Married Couples occupying one room ... 100.00 CHILDREN BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT. Sitting-room by the Day ... .. \$ 2.50 | Titlin ... ... ... ... \$ 1.00 Sitting-room by the Month ... ... 30.00 Dianer ... ... ... ... ... ... 1.50 Extra Bed-room by the Day ... 2.00 European Servants by the Day ... 1.00 Extra Bod-room by the Month ... 20.00 European Servants by the Month Bed and Breakfast... ... ...

2.50 (Bedroom extra)... ... 20.00 0.75 Chinese Servants by the Day ... TRAMWAY Trunkers will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at reduced rates.—For further Particulars apply at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD. Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. Hongkong, October 7, 1892,

THRISTMAS PRESENTS. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Toys!!! W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 5, 1892

## HONGKONG Telegraphic Address, "Kremlin"—A.B.C. Code.

ITHE Most Commodious and Best-Appointed HOTEL in the Far East; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club,

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The Hotel Steam Launch conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail The TABLE D'HOTE, at asparate tables, is supplied with every delicacy.

The BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-Rooms, are lefty and well ventilated, open and restoring health it is unequalled, as it on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric com-The READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, LADIES' DRAWING

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WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST BRANDS only.
HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hah to each of the five fiedrs above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, October 21, 1892,

# ARE NOW SHOWING

TALOUNCE and BEAD LACES.

HONGKONG TRADING Co.,

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION

I IS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR will Preside over a PUBLIC MEET ING to be held in the Council Chamber, on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at 5.30 p.m., with a view of ascertaining the views of the Community in regard to the maintonance of the Volunteer Corps. All who take an interest in the Volunteer Movement are cordially invited to attend.

By Command. G. T. M. O'BRIEN. Colonial Sceretary. Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1892. 2141 HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. ITHE Short RANGE CUP will be Shot | for on SATURDAY, the 10th Inst.

ED. ROBINSON. Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, December 5, 1894.

> PERSEVERANCE LODGE, No. 1165 E.C.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 16th Instant, at 4.30 for 5 p.m. precisely; also at 9.30 p.m. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited. Hongkong, December 8, 1892..

SINGING AND PIANO.

CHGNOR CATTANEO, having returned from Europe, has pleasure in inform- the 17th December, 1892, at 11 o'clock ing the Community, that he will be in a a.m., at the Premises,position to Resume Teaching in a few

Messes, KELLY & WALSH. Hongkong, December 6, 1892.



Wine and Spirit Merchants, 13, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, August 18, 1891,

To Let. HONGKONG HOTEL Co., LD. NOTICE.

ROOMS TO LET. OR OFFICES and/or CHAMBERS on the Ground and First Floors of the HOTEL, facing QUEEN'S ROAD and PEDDER STREET. With immediate entry if required.

For Particulars, apply to R. LYALL, Secretary. Hongkong, December 8, 1892.

TO LET. NTO. 2, PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office-suitable for OFFICES or CHAMBERS. Has a small GODUWN attached.

Entry on or after February 8th. . Apply to G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, December 2, 1892. 2108

ITHE BUNGALOW at Robinson Road. lately occupied by the late Captain Two Large GODOWNS Nos, 234 and 23B, PRAYA CENTRAL One GUDOWN No. 117 PRAYA EAST at

TO LET.

Bownington. Apply to VICTORIA HOTEL. Hongkong, December 3, 1892. TO LET.

XTO. 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 6. QUEEN'S ROAM flately occupied by ATACK). OFFICES in No. 4, PRAYA CENTRAL (lately occupied by Messrs. GILMAN & Co.). No. 3, PEDDER'S HILL.

Apply to DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. Hangkong, November 10, 1892. 1916 / HE GOOD S.S. PEKIN and S.S.

TO LET. ATEW HOUSES in RIPON TERRACE, Bonham Road, near Breezy Point, No. 4, Blue Buildings. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. OFFICES SHOOND FLOOR, Praya Central flately occupied by Messra, Dunn,

MELBYR & Co.) GULOWN (under Messra, Douglas ) LAPRAIR & Co.'s Offices). GODOWN, No. 1A, RLUB BUILDINGS. SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES, at MAGAZINE GAF. Very cheap rental.

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Nos. 4, 5 and 6, VICTORIA VIEW, Kowloon.

FLOORS, No. 5, SHELLEY STREET.

cupied by the New ORIENTAL BANK IN LIQUIDATION. No. 10, OLD BAILEY. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST

No. 7, PRAYA CENTRAL, at present oc-

MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, December 6, 1892. TO LET. HOUSES in KNUTHFORD TERRACE, KOWLOON,

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., Ltd. Hougkong, November 1, 1892.

Auctions.

CHRISTMAS SALE. PUBLIC AUCTION

JAPANESE WARE.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Soll by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 10th December, 1892, commencing at

2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell

Street,— A VERY FINE COLLECTION OF JAPANESE WARE

WORKS OF ART.

comprising :--HANDSOME CLOISONNE VASES, PLATES and PLAQUES in newcet designs, LACQUERED INLAID PANELS and PLAQUES SATSUMA. TORIO, OWATA and OTHER PORCELAIN VASES, JARS, TEA and BREAKFAST SETS, Ranges, 500 and 600 yards. Time, 2.45 p.m. ETC., PORCELAIN WALL PLATES, ETC., ETC. HANDSOME INLAID CABINETS, LACQUEE-WARE BRONZES, ALBUM COVERS, WATER-· Colors, Silk Dressing Gowns and Jackers, SILK" HANDEERCHIEFS. WALLHANDINGS, EMBROIDERED SCREENS, ARMOUR, HELMETS,

> A VARIETY OF OTHER ARTICLES. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on Friday next.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 3, 1892.

A. G. GORDON will Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

comprising :-ALL THOSE PIECES OF PARCELS OF GROUND situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and being SECTION 8 and THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 724, as the same Premises are now held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th June, 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Orown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof

ALL THOSE PIECES OF PARCELS OF GROUND SECTION A and THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 725, as the came Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th June, 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Orown Ront payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the

ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL OF GROUND situate at Victoria, aforesaid, and being INLAND LOT No. 727, as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 20th June, 1881, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof (if any).

ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL OF GROUND situate at Victoria, aforesaid, and being INLAND LOT No. 728, as the same term of 999 years, from the 25th June 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Orown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the shove on or about the 14th Instant. existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof

The Promises will be SOLD in One Lot. The Sanction of the Government has been obtained for the crection of Kerosine Godowns on all the above Premises. For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

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Hougkong, December 5, 1892. For Sale.

FOR SALE.

KWONG-MO. For Particulars, apply to SUI KEE CHAN. 53. Bonham Strand West. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. 1999

FOR SALE. TYUC DE MONTEBELLO CHAMPAGNE \$26 per case, 6 Magnums, (Dry). 6 do. (Extra dry). 12 Quarts, (Dry). 24 Pints, (do.) 12 Quarte, (Extra dry), 24 Pipts. do.

BRANDY. \$7.50 to \$66 per case of 1 dozen Quarts. OLARETS.

86 to \$42 per ceas of 1 dozen Quarts, FRENCH BEER, WHITE WINES Erc., Erc., Erc. Price List on application. M. S. SASSOON & Co... agents for P. MIGNARD & Co., Shanghai.

Hongkong, November 25, 1892.

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Notices to Consignees.

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P.O. 2/3=2 Cases OPIUM.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, December 8, 1892.

Steamers. OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KORE The Steamannp

Taiyuan,

Captain Netson, will be

despatched TO-MOR. The Steamship

ROW, the 10th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, December 9, 1892. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR LONDON FIASUEZ CANAL.

The Sleamship Lieut T. Darke, R. H. B., will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 10th Instant, at

For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Go., General Managers. Hongkong, December 9, 1893. 2153

FOR SHANGHAL

The Steamship Capt. G. HEUERMANN, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 10th Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 7, 1892. UNION LINE.

OR NEW YORK FIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Capt. Pinkham, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 10th December, instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 29, 1892. 1880 DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Steamship

SHEWAN & Co.Ac.

Ports on SUNDAY, the 11th Instant, as Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Captain Hart, will be

despatched for the above

Hongkong, December 8, 1892. 150 THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. Premises are held for the residue of a FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL.

The Ca's Stramship
Nengchore,
H. L. Allen, Com'ader,
will be despatched as For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARRERG & Co.,

Hongkong, December 3, 1892.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship

Pembrokeshire Captain F. GEDTE, will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 15th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, December 7, 1892. 2142

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. Tho Co.'s Steamship A. Hurr, Commander, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 23rd December.
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by

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Hongkong, November 30, 1892. Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. Norw. Barone Alss, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have, quick despatch.

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, November 11, 1892.

For Freight, apply to

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FRS. GILLANDERS has VACANCIES for RESIDENT BOARDERS and VISITORS. also Accommodation for TABLE BOLEDERS. Hongkong, July 4, 1892.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. -- Price, \$1 each. CHIKA MAIL Office.

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THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUGHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. City of Rio de Janeiro SATURDAY, Dec. 10. City of Peking ....... SATURDAY, Dec. 31.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF MALCOT'S EMERY FILES RIO DE JANERIO WILL be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, TO-MORROW, 10th December, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight to Japan, the United States, and Europe.

RATES OF PASSAGE. FROM HONGRONG, FIRST CLASS. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault, New Westminster, Port Town- \$225.00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Port-To Liverpool and London .....\$325.0

Po Havre and Hamburg ........ \$35 a. (b.) Through Passage Tickets grant. England, France, and Germany trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RATES OF PASSAGE TO OVERLAND CITIES, FIRST CLASS.

DESTINATION. Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, } | 285.00 St. Paul, Minn., Minnea- 1 292,90 polis, Minn. Milwaukee, Wis. ...... 299.50 295.00 . 302.30 301.50 Cincinnati, Ohio..... . 304.25 304.00 Columbus, Ohio ..... Detroit, Mich. Toronto, Canada ...... 309.95 307.45 Nisgara Falls, N.Y., Buf- \

All the above Rates are in Mexican Dollars. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Nava, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services,

to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Return Tickets. - First Class. - Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be 4 months .....\$337.50

12 ,, .....\$393.76 Time is reckoned from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or 1.50 Japan (or vice versu) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 % from Return Fare. This allowance does not apply to .30 through fares from China and Japan to

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan 4.00 Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, vi 10.00 Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinidad 15.00 and Demerara, and to ports in Maxico 100.00 Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until

p.m. the day provious to sailing. Parce Packages will be received as the office unt 2.00 5 p.m., same day; all Farcel Packages 5.00 should be marked to andress in full; vaiu of same is required. Conductor Invoices to accompany Cargo

.25 dest. ned to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the .40 Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, .75 addressed to the Collector of Customs at Sar Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

To-day's Advertisements.

THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Interim DIVIDEND at the Rate of B PER CENT. per Annum has, This Day, been 15 declared by the Board of Directors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 21st December, 1892 .15 to 3rd January, 1893.

> WM. MACBEAN, HONGRONG BRANCH Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

By Order of the Directors.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

The Steamship Glamorganshire. Capt. D. Davies, will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARIALL & Co., Agonts. 2163 PICH & Co. -Honglong, December 9, 1892,

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY IN HONGKONG. Commencing TO-MORROW (Saturday) Dec. 10th, in front of the CITY HALL, from 11 to 1.30 and 5 to 7.

TRY WALCOT'S EMERY FILES COMBINATION POCKET KNIFE, THE NOVELTY OF THE DAY. will weigh from I to 14 fb. WILL OUT GLASS, AND CONTAINS SIX OFREB USEFUL TOOLS.

The Knife & Emery File sold together Will Sharpen Knives Will Sharpen Scissors AN ALCOT'S EMERY FILES

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INTALCOT'S EMBRY FILES Can be used as a rasp. TATALCO'S EMERY FILES IXIALCOTS EMERY FILES Will Test Gold.

22,000 of WALCOT'S EMERY FILES were SOLD in the STRAITS SETTLEMENTS recently. Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

(11HE Company's S.S. Copack having arrived from the above Ports, 304.95 302.75 Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Washington, D.C., Balti- 3 317.90 311.75 Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th Inst., at 4

> o'clock p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 15th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before NOOD TO-DAY

> Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

Mot see sousible for Bebts.

wither the Captain, the Agents, nor | White, and 94 Chinese. Owners will be Responsible for my Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stag in songkong Harbour :-HARVARD, American barque, Capt. L. A. Colcord. - Master.

DAKIN'S

PURE FOLATILE EUCALVPTUS DISTILLED WHOM THE LEAVES OF SELECTED SPECIES OF EUGALYPTUS.

TAUCALYPTUS OIL has become India, and the Colonies and in Australia it Left Shanghai 6th of December, at noon, is used for nearly every known disease. and arrived Hongkong 8th of December, When applied externally it has a powerful 11.30 p.m. During the voyage had fresh minutant and soothing actio but does not N.E. monsoon, with moderate ses and blister the most sensitive skin, and no ap- swell. plication known will so quickly subdue the pain of muscular theumatism.

Tak n internally in small doses, it acts and squally with heavy rains. as a powerful stimulant and antipasmodic while its a-condary action induces aleap. The ps strating agreeable vapor of the lovercast. Oil is zedative, and when inhaled relieves Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh and Sore Had strong N.E. winds and dull weather

It is also a most powerful antiseptic and germicide being three times as effectual as Strong monsoon and high head son, with Carbolic Acid in preventing development | squalls and rain. Experienced a very severe of Bacteria, ets uses in this direction being gale in the Gulf of Siam, of hurricane force.

upon a Terpens called Eucalyptol and we N.E. winds and high sea. Swatow to guarantee this Oil, prepared specially for Chelang Point, light airs and calm; thence us, to contain the largest obtainable per- to port, moderate North winds and overcast centage of Encalyptol and twice that of the laky. Steamers in Amoy, H.M.S. despatch ordinary Eucalyptus Oil of commerce. Sold in Bottles @ 50 Cents and \$1.00.

DAKIN. RUIOKSHANK & Co., LTD., Victoria Dispensary.

BAIPPING

ARRIVALS.

December 8:-Benalder, British steamer, 1,294, C. K.

McIntosh, R.N.R., London and Singapore Liverpool October 25 and Singapore Dec. I. General.—Annhold, Karberg & Co.

December 9:-Darmstadt, Gorman steamer, 3,404. W Mails and General - MELCHE & & Co. Prometheus, British steamer, 1,492, J. K.

General.—Buttenvield & Swike. Ask Danish steamer, 682, Revaluck, Haiphong Dec. 5, and Holhow 7, General,-A. R. MARTY.

Glenfalloch, British steamer, 1,434, T. 2160 General, - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Price, Moji (Japan) December 4, 8 a.m., General.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Loo Sok, British str., 1,020, A. Benson, Bangkok via Ang-hing December 1, Gencral. YUEN FAT HONG. Thales, British steamer, 830, Bathurst,

Talwanfoo Dec. 5, Amoy 6, and Swatow 8, General. - Douglas Steamship Co. Chowchowfoo, German str., from Canton. Catterthun, British steamer, 1,406, Nell Shaunon, Sydney November 13, Townsville 17. Cooktown 19, Thursday Island 21, and Jessels Advertised as Loading.

Date o' Leavin A pats. Destinatio Hive, L'on, H'bg & A p Glamorganshire (s)..... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Dec. 23. Kobé and Yokohama. Pembrokeshire (8)..... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About Dec. 15. London, v. Suez Caual Glenfalloch (8)....... Jardine, Matheson&Co. Dec. 10, at noon Butterfield & Swire December 23. London, v. Suez Canal Titan (s)..... Arnhold, Karberg&Co. About Dec. 14. London, v. Ports of Call Ningchow (8)...... Marseille . . Saigon . Natal (8)..... Messagories Mavitimes Dec. 14, at noon New York, V. Stez Canal Ethiope (a)..... She wan & Co...... About Dec. 10. Port Darwin, &crt..... Chingtu (8)...... Butterfield & Swire.... December 23: 8. Francisco, v. Japan City of Riode Janeiro (s. Pacific Mail S. S. C. Dec. 10, at 1 p.m. San Francisco.......Sigurd......She wan & Co........Quick despatch. Shanghai. .....Lyeamoon (s)....... Siemssen & Co...... Swatow, Amoy & Tani Formosa (s)...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. D.c. 11, daylight, Vancouver (B.C). & Empress of Japan (s)... Canadian Pfic R. Co. Dec. 28, at noon. Victoria (B.C.), &c... Flintshire (a) ...... Nor. P'fic S. & R. Cos Dec. 29, at noon. Yokohama and Kobe. Taiyuan (s).......... Butterfield & Swire ... Dec. 10, daylight.

Frejr, Danish steamer, 397, C. L. Strand, Patabecock. Docember 8th, spoke Fook. Pakhoi Decouiber 6, and Hoihow 8, Gen- sang, from Shanghai, bound Amoy, off Dodd eral --- Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Presto, German steamer, 655. J. Jesson, VISITORS AT HOTELS.

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Mr V. Z'erkes -

Mr J. Walls

Capt. Smith

Oarthy, R.E.

and infant

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Mrs Van Nicrop

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Mr Fred. E. Shean

Kabe December 2, Coal.—Les Wing & Co. Nanking, Norwegian steamer, 1,095, N. Sorensen, Moji December 3, Coal .-CARLOWITZ & CQ. Jacob Diederichsen, German steamer, 7.0, Mrs Chapman

A. Hundewardt, Chefoo December 4, Gen. | Capt. and Mrs Clut-Mrs Nicol and child eral. -- Carlowitz & Co. Taisang, British str., 1,505, H. W. Hogg, Mr. H. Cockseu, Mr. G. C. Cox Mr H. Cocksedge Obtained 48 prize medals. Shanghai December 6, General, -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

> Mr and Mrs Finley Mr and Mrs Warren Mr W. T. Leighton Mr C. II. Wiltsin DEPARTURES. Mr and Mrs Lord December 9:-Devawongse, for Bangkok. VICTORIA HOTEL. Diomed, for Singapore and London. Mr A. L. Bagnall Mr Chue, B. Hicks Ajax for Singapore and London. Lapt. F. O. Bianco Capt. Hillebrandt Namyong, for Amoy. Mr Gso. Burnett Mr G. L. Hummel Else, for Saigon. Mrs Christie & child Mr E. B. Jorey

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Niobe, for Singapore and Hamburg. Mr José F. Constan-Mr Robert Love CLEARUD Mr C. B. Dowley Mrs Farmer Taiyuan, for Yokohama. Mr and Mrs Feeley Mr C. A. Schmuck Avochie, for Hongay. Miss Feeley Hupch, for Amoy. Master Feeley Baron Douglas, for Roile. Mr T. Feeley

PASSENGERS.

Oppack, for Shanghai.

Promethens, for Amoy.

ARRITED. Per Benalder, from Singapore, 3 Chinese. Per Oopack, from Liverpool, Mr Chisholm, and 175 Chinese. Per Darmstadt, from Shanghai, Messra C D. Hart, W. H. Hart, Frants H. Vass, and

Per Prometheur, from Liverpool, &c., Mr Scott Crook, Mr McKee, and 200 Chinese, Per Glenfalloch, from Shanghai, 620 Chi-

Per Loo Sok, from Bangkok, 50 Chinese. Per Thales, from Taiwaufoo, Mr and Mrs. Hill. Mr Arthur, and 45 Chinese. Per Catterthan, from Sydney, &c., M: W. Westwood, Mr W. S. Strong. Mr G. Burnett, Mr and Mrs Loy Wah Moo Way Key, Mr and Mrs De Roza, Messrs L. M Coresa, A. D. C. Olivia, A. Z. Horta, M. D. Oz rie, M. J. Mascimento, Kam Lam, 23 Europeans, and 10) Chinese.

Per Presto, from Kobe, 3 Chinese. Per Taisang, from Shanghai, Capt. Hamlin, Master Hamlin, Messrs Griffiths, and BEPARTED.

Per Catherine Appear, for Singapore, Mr Moy Hin Chow; for Penang, Mr M. Nelson; for Calcutta, Mr and Mrs Winter, Mr

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Benalder reports: Light variable winds, with heavy Northerly awell for thirty-six hours after leaving port, the remainder of passage had very heavy monacon with bigh sea.

The British steamer Copack reports: H d heavy N.E. monsoon, with tremendous a | sear decks constantly flooded. HOUSEHOLD REMEDY' in England. The German steamer Darmstadt reports :

The British steamer Prometheus reports : For BANGKOK .-Had strong monsoon, with high sea, overcast The British steamer Glenfalloch reports: Bad moderate Northerly winds, dull and

The British steamer Ocempo reports: from Goto Islands to Hongkong. The British steamer Loo Sok reports: the British steamer Thales reports: The active properties of the Oil depend | Taiwanfoo to Amoy, and Swatow, strong

boat Alacrity, H.M.S. Porpoise, Wenchow, Kuciyang and Hailoung. Steamers in Swatow, Yuensang, Tamsui, Meefoo and Tai Lee. The E & A. Company's steamer Catter-

thun, Captain Neil Shannon, reports leaving Sydney at 6.30 a.m. on Sunday, the 13th November, arrived at Townsville 7.30 p.m. 17th : left again 10.30 p.m., left Cooktown 4 a.m. 19th, Thursday Island 4 p.m 21st; arrived Port Darwin 5 p.m. 24th, left 6.45 26th; arrived Dilly (Timor Island) 3 p.m. 28th; left 3 p.m. 29th; passed through Banka passage 11 a,m. 2nd December; Basilan Straits inidnight 3rd, Cabra Island 5 a.m. 6th, anchored off E. Lamma Channel November 30, General .- GIBB, LIVINGSTON 8 p.m. 8th, made fast Company's buoy Hongkong harbour a.m. on the 9th. On Copack, British steamer. 1.730, Davies, leaving Sydney experienced a strong Southerly gale with heavy sea to Saal Rocks; thenge to Thursday Island, and across the Arafura Sea, light to moderate E. and S.E. winds, calms and fine weather to Port Dar- for the Poak may be posted in the General von Schuckmann, Shanghai December 6, Basilan Straits, light N'ly and N. W. winds, in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of Cabra Island strong N.N.E. gale and thick the Peak additional Letter Boxes have been Webster, Liverpool and Singapore Dec. 1. squally weather. Thence to arrival mode- affixed to Police Boxes at Magazine Gap, rate N.E. mongoon, moderate to heavy sea. by Peak Church, and at Mount Kellet, Darke, R.N.R., Shanghai via Foochow, shocks were distinctly felt on board; the Notes. &c. should be registered. Amoy and Swatow December 8, 4 p.m., vessel shivering all ever as if grating along a coral reef; this was accompanied by a low Ocampo, British steamer, 1,311, H. T. C. rumbling noise; one shock was felt at 9.30, and the other at 11.40. The shock was so Point and steamers in Harbour may be board. The residents of the place were in 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. great fear, but up to the time of the ship leaving, no damage had taken place, with posted in the Letter Box which has been the exception of the side of one house, (the placed in the Police Station Compound up TOM SMITH'S ORACKERS residence of a Mr Suntos) having fallen in to 12 and 4 o'clock. and several walls collapsed. 3.40. s.m. on

the 5th December passed Company's s. s. Guthrie ound South. Had moderate to fresh mousoon and over- them. Port Darwin 26, General, -Gibs, Living- the passage. December 7th, spoke Kwang &c. should be registered. Lee, from Hongkong, bound Shanghal, off

Shipping.

Daylight .- Taiyuan leaves for Japan. Noon. - Glonfalloch leaves for London for Yokohama and San Francisco. 4 p.m.-Lycemoon leaves for Shanghai. Auctions.

Amusements.

Circus and Menageria at West Point 4 p.m. -Balloon ascent and Parachute descent by Signor Leo Hernandez. 9 p.m. - Harmston & Sons' Grand Circus and Menagerie, at West Point. Meeting.

9 p.m. - Meeting of Zetland Lodge. Miscellaneous. 2.45 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.

General Memoranda. THURSDAY, December 15:-5.30 p.m. -Public Meeting in the Council Chamber.

FRIDAY, December 16 :--5 p.m. - Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. SATURDAY, December 17 :-11 a.m. - Auction of Valuable Leasehold | completely and convincingly demon-

- Property. Exchange. Hong Kong, December 9 On London-Bank, Wire, ... ... On demand, 30 days' sight. 4 mouths' sight, Documentary 4 months aight. Mr W. Jose Michaels On Paris— Mr and Mrs C. H. On demand. Oredits, 4 months' sight. On Berlin—Demand,... ... ... On New York-Mr W. Schwaler Mr Shuttleworth On demand. ... ... Credits, 60 days' sight. Mr A. E. Skeels Da Bombay— Mr and Mrs Geo. Dr. K. T. Stewart On demand. ... ... Mr John Stewart Mr & Mrs Harmston Mr George Stewart On Calcutta-Mr Frank Harmston Mr Frank Walcot On demand On Shanghai-On demand, ... ... 30 days' sight, private paper, Mr W. Macbean Gold Leaf, 100 line (per taer) . Mrs W. Macbean nurse and children Captain D. F. Mac-

WATSON & LIMITED.

EX STEAMERS

Benledi and Ganges, POST OFFICE NOTICES. THEIR FIRST SHIPMENTS. MAILS will close:-

For AMOY. Per Hupeh, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, tho 10th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For SINGAPORE & LONDON.— Per Glenfalloch, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 10th inst. For AMOY & SHANGHAL.— Per Prometheus, at 2.30 p.m., on Satur-

For SHANGHAL .-Per Lycemoon, at 3,30 p.m., on Saturday, the 10th inst.

For SWATOW & BANGKOK -Per Phra Chula Chum Klao, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 19th inet. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.--Per Formosa, at o p.m., on Saturday, the 10th inst.

For HAIPHONG. -Per sk, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 10th inst.

Per Taichiow, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 12th inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY. Per Bisagno, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 15th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.-The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 10th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Peru. &c., which will be closed as follows:-

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

MAILS by the Gebnan Packet. $oldsymbol{--}$ The German Contract Packet Darmstadt will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 10th December, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

&c., &c. Registry ceases at 4.45 P.M. The mail closes at 5 p.m. A supplementary mail will be close on Sunday, at 9 a m.

PEAK DELIVERY. -Letters, &c., will he delivered by the 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams only. Correspondence and Parcels win and Timor; from Pitt's passage to Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3 p.m., or with thick rainy weather; Basilan Straits to | Departure. With regard to letters from On the ship's arrival at Timor it was report- which will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. ed that a very heavy shock of earthquake Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday had been felt at 2 o'clock that morning, and delivery. Senders are requested to cancel while the ship was lying at anchor there their Stamps by writing the word Stamped during the night of the 28th Nov., two across them. Covers containing Bank

distinct that it was felt by everyone on posted in the General Post Office up to Letters from Kowloon Point may be

To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their The British steamer Taisang reports: stamps by writing the word stamped across cast, with occasional showers throughout! Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery There will be no Sunday delivery,

Local rates will be charged.

memos. FOR TO-MORSOW

1 p.m.—P. M. S. S. Co,'s Steamer leaves

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Wares, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's. 2.30 p.m .- Harmston & Sons' Grand

Mr & Mrs Muir-Drew date subject to rent.

Sovereigns (Bank's Foreign rate) \$ 7.23

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY Rongkong, November 9, 1893.

At 5 Mohawk Villas, Shanghai, on the 4th December, the Wife of GEORGE HEXT. Chinese Customs Service, of a Daughter. DEATH.

At the Shanghai General Hospital, on the 4th December, KATE LEROY, aged 28 years. per the publication of the many mannered at 7.20 p.m. who will a market

The China Mail.

HONGEONG, PRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1892. Oun eighty-thousand-dollar Gap Rock Cable has been for some time quite useless. Something has gone wrong with it at the Gap Rock end and the thirty-dollar-a-month expert there apparently does, not know how to put it right. We should hardly think that those other 'experts' who drew up the scheme for the practical working of the telegraph would be of any use in the way of suggesting how communication could be re-established. Although they were able to tell the Governor in an official report how the telegraph ought Goods per Oopack undelivered after this to be worked it does not follow that they know anything about practical telegraphy, but they might have been suspected of possessing a little knowledge of the subject had they not so strated the contrary in their report. We do not know what their notion may have been as to the amount of work involved in transmitting a telegraphic message or as to the degree of skill required to perform that operation. It is possible that they were not very tar wrong on these points. The extraordinary proposition --- extraordinary at least from an unofficial point of view-that the shipsignalling scheme could not be carried out without the aid of a special staff of telegraph clerks, may have been put forward in the sincere belief that the more offices and the more Government employés there are the better will it. bo for the colony. The transmission of telegraphic messages from the Rock to the Colony had, of course, to be provided for quite apart from the ship-signalling scheme. The European lighthousekeepers had to be able to perform this work as part of their ordinary duties and were understood to possess the necessary skill and experience for such work. The fact that, in addition to

any other telegraphing that might require to be done, it would be necessary to send a few messages every day aunouncing the approach of steamers, made it necessary, in the opinion of the officials who reported on the signalling arrangements, to recommend the establighment of a Gap Reck Telegraphic Department. This entailed, besides the salaries of the staff, a considerable outlay for the erection of quarters on the Rock, where, we need bardly remind our readers, building operations are very costly, as all the materials have to be taken out by steamer from Hongkong. The principal reason alleged for incurring all this additional expense was that the strain of looking out for ships in order to signal their approach to Hongkong would be so great that it would prevent the lighthouse-keepers, of whom, be it remembered, there are always two on the Rock, from giving proper attention to their other work. The duties of these men during the day, at all events, are certainly not of such a very absorbing character that they would be interfered with by the little extra work involved in the signalling of a ship as it came near enough to be identified. We should be greatly surprised if the lighthouse-keepers did not make a practice of identifying the various ships as they pass, simply as a matter of pleasure, seeing that there is so little else to relieve the dull monotony of their existence. The small addition to their not-ton-princely salaries which they would be entitled to get if they were asked to undertake the signalling work would not tend to make them less contented with their lot. That they would have undertaken the work for very small remuneration we have not the slightest doubt, and we are equally | confident that they would have done, it better than it is ever likely to be done under the existing arrangement. Why the ridiculous proposal to appoint a special CALLARD & BOWSER'S telegraphic staff for this purpose was ever entertained we do not know. Very little inquiry and very little consideration would have sufficed to show how. utterly unreasonable and uncalled for it was. The acceptance of it has resulted in one more sample of that expensive kind of official muddlement which if

TELEGRAMS.

the Colonial Secretary only knew it, is

a much more pronounced characteristic

of this Colony than the gambling ton-

|SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.' (Via Southern Line.)

THE MONETARY CONFERENCE. LONDON, Dec. 8. Rothschild has announced the withdrawal of his proposals which the American delegates refused to support.

PROPO-ED REPRAL OF THE SIL-VER PURCHASE BILL Mr Hill has introduced a bill into the Senate for the repeal of the Sherman silver purchase act. 🗆

THE ZAMBESI IN COLLISION. A telegram was received to-day from Japan by Measra Dodwell, Carlill and Co., stating that the Northern Pacific chartered ateamer Zambesi, which left Yokohama yess terday for Hongkong, had been in collision and that it had been found necessary to run her ashore. Captain Edwards is in command of the Zambest which was teturning from Tacoma with a good general

A telegram has been despatched to 1976 | Yokohama mking for further particulars.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND: - Exe. Oct. 11: Douglas, 18; Cathay, 21; Harewood, Nov. 11; Aglaia, 15; Dardanus, 18; Glengyle, Melbourne, 22; Teucer, 25;

Bayern, Hankow, Kintuck, 29. HOMEWARD BOUND :-- Kostroma, Oct. 25: Sydney, Nov. 11; Camelot, Glengarry, Radnorshire. 15: Cyclops, Monnae, Priok, 18; Benvenue, 22; Saghalien, 25 : Carmarthenshire, Daphne, 29.

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Gaelic, with the AMERICAN MAIL of November 16, left Yokohama on Monday, the 5th instant, at noon, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 10th inst.

The M. M. Co.'s s. s. Melbourne, with the French Mail of November 11, left Singapore on Thursday, Dec. 8, at | 8 a.m. and may be expected here on or about Thursday, Dec. 15. This packet brings replies to letters deepatched from Hongkong on Oct. 5.

Zamben left Yokohama for Hongkong on Dec. 8, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 13. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamship City of

Peking, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port, vio Yokohama on Nov. 26.

The N. G. I. s. s. Bisagno, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port on Dec. 1, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 8.

The Shire Line a. a. Pembrokeshire left Singapore on Dec. 6, and may be expected here on or about Dec. 13. The s. s. Wingsang, from Calcutta and Straits for this port, left Singapore on

Dec. 6. and may be expected here on or about Dec. 13. The P. and O. a. a. Java, from Bombay for this port, left Singapore on Dec. 8, and may be expected here on or

UNION CHURCH. -SUNDAY. DECEMBER 11. 11 д. и. Hymns, 412, 267, 308; Psalm, 4; An-

about Dec. 15.

Ar a regular meeting of the United Service Lodge, No. 1341, held last evening, the following elections were made for the ensuing year:-Worshipful Master, Bro. J Lowrie (the present Senior Warden); Treasurer, Bro. J. Collett (re-elected); . Tyler, Bro. J. Maxwell (re-elected).

'PARTIES furnishing' ought to go to the City Hall to-morrow and purchase from Mr. F. Walcot pretty nearly all they require for a dullar. Mr Walcot is on a globetrotting expedition with a combination knife and an emery file. He has carried these articles over a considerable portion of the earth's surface already, and they are now apreading their civilising influence throughout the Far East-Mr Waicot has submitted specimens to us for inspection. The combination knife seems to be a condensed and portable ironmonger's shop and includes even a weighing machine. The emery file is a universal sharpener and the bare enumeration of the uses to which it may be put would fill a column.

Fire broke out about half-past eleven o'clock last night on the basement floor of large attendance of the members of the the house at 333 Queen's Road West, which was completely gutted. The shop where General; Mr J. J. Francis. Q.C.; Mr H. the fire originated was occupied by a restaurant keeper. As soon as the flames. were observed the Nam Pak hong turned Mr Grist, Mr Ellis, Mr Gedge, Mr Wright, out to the resone, their men being on the scene a few minutes before the Fire Brigade. Only two good jets of water could be thrown upon the burning pile, and the firemen had to confine their efforts to prenorthward. In this they were successful, but about one o'clock this morning they Civil Service and in recognition of the had to direct their attention to another fire which broke out in the cock-loft of a house in Jervois Street which had become ignited by sparks from the first fire. A difficulty was experienced in this case in getting a good stream of water played upon the fire. but ultimately the firemen were again successful in preventing the spread of the conflagration. The house in Queen's Road was burned down about a year ago. It is insured in the office of Kruse and Co. for which is always due from the Bar to the **\$**5,000.

Sept.

At a meeting of the Bokhara Relief Fund | Bench Committee, held at H.B.M. Consulate General, Shanghai, on Saturday, the 3rd instant, it was announced that subscriptions amounting to a little-over \$5,000 had been made to the Fund, and it was decided to forward the contribution on receiving from the Hongkong Committee an intimation of its special purpose for which it was subscribed. subscribers, a list of the names only being correcting an errodeous impression unintenwhich was published in our issue of the 5th representative of the P. & O. Company who from London to take part in any subscription. Mr Joseph so far from declining to subscribe placed the name of the Company on the Hong- congratulations you have offered to me to. the Head of 14 years' standing by a new method, kong Subscription List immediately it was The business of the Court was then procirculated -Mercury.

WE understand that the date of the meeting called by H.E. the Governor for the purpose of discussing the Volunteer ques tion has been altered to Monday, 19th inst., and the place of meeting will be St. Andrews Hall, instead of the Council Chamber.

MESSRS. Allen and Sachtleben, the trans-Asiatic cyclists, left Shanghai on Saturday by the Empress of India for San Francisco. Private affairs have obliged them to abandon their intention of touring through Jupan for the present.

THE Shanghai Mercury of the 5th inst. says :- Messrs David Sassoon Sons & Co. agents for the Austrian Lloyds' Steam Navigation Company, inform us that the departure of the s.s. Electra had to be p stponed from yesterday (her sailing date) until further notice owing to damage received through the parting of her towline. Her keel was damaged

YESIERDAY afternoon, says the N.-C. Daily News of the 4th inst., the Ingo and the Chinese man-of-war Kuangping were The Northern Pacific chartered steamship collision. The Iugo was moored in No. section, and the man-of-war came up from Woosung, and while anchoring swung round on the Ingo. damaging three of the latter's plates forward. The war vessel was uninjured. The Inqu will have to

> THE N.-C. Daily News learns from the act. | manuer as to injure ing Secretary of the company that at the the credit of the extraordinary meeting of stareholders in Colony. the North China Insurance Co., Ld.,

within a circumference of 20 ken round the than 'official salaries.' noint of intersection of a straight line drawn from the lighthouse on Mutsure- cial salaries when he said matters of adshims (Rokuren on chart) to the Daibs. ministration !- I am, Sir, Your obedient bana, and another drawn from the Mansita | servant. beacon light to the top of the Kirigaya yama. The rock is covered by from B fathoms to 21 fathoms of water at low tide. -Hiogo News.

On Saturday, 3rd inst. (says the N.-C. Daily News) a collision occurred on the river between the steamers Vladimir and Oscarshal. The former vessel was along. latter was proparing to anchor, but before she could be stopped, she rammed the result was that the Oscarshal bent her own stem and so dam ged the Vladimir that In consequence of the accident, the Vladimir has gone into Boyd's Dock and her departure has been postponed. The Osca-shalwill also have to dock, two of her plates on the port side being cracked.

ANOTHER RIOT AT ICHANG.

News was received yesterday afternoon (says the N.-C. Daily News of the 5th inat.) by wire of a riot having occurred at Ichang on Friday evening on the arrival of the Tituh, or Provincial Commander-in-Chief. H.M.S. Esk landed a force of bluejackets for the protection of the Europeans, and no foreignors were injured. All is now quist. Our Ichang correspondent hinted in his last letter that some more trouble might be expected, with the large number of students now in the city,

WELCOME TO THE PUISNE JUDGE On the occasion of the newly-appointed Puisne Judge taking his seat in the Summary Court this morning, there was a legal profession. Among those present were-Hon. A. J. Leach, Acting Attorney E. Pollock, Mr Phillippe; Mr A. B. Johnson. Crown Solicitor; Mr Wotton, Mr Deacon. Mr Dennys, Mr Holmes, Mr Hastings,

and the officials of the Supreme Court. Mr Leach said—This being the first occasion on which your Lordship has taken your seat as Puisne Judge, I desire on behalf of the Bar and Solicitors of this Colony to express their sincere congratulations upon your elevaventing the spread of the fire eastward and I tion to the Bench. The honour Her Majesty has thought fit to confer upon you is doubtless due to your long career in the ability and experience which you have brought to bear upon the duties you have had to discharge, especially as Registrar, as Acting Attorney General, as Acting Paisne Judge, and as Acting Chief Justice. I am quite sure that that ability and experience will inspire, and has inspired already. great confidence in you both on the part of the Bar and the Solicitors the Colony. I feel quite sure I may say. not only for myself but on behalf of the Bar and of the Solicitors, that you will receive from them most loval assistance and respect, such loyal assistance and respect Bench. I will not say anything further. but simply express our hearty congratulations to you upon your elevation to the placed in solitary confinement in the stables

His Lordship replied—Mr. Attorney and discipline. Gentlemen-I feel very deeply the very kind and I am sure far too generous and flutering remarks you have addressed me on this the first occasion of my taking my sent upon this bonch. I feel these remarks all the more as they are not addressed to a stranger, but to one wh has been among you and worked along with you for more than ten years. passengers who lost their lives at the wreck filled in this Colony. I do not hide from myself the importance and difficulty of the duties I this day assume as Puisne Judge. that the names and amounts subscribed but in the fulfilment of these duties I am should be printed for the information of perfectly sure I will receive from the members of the Bar every assistance, and they can give great assistance in the search published in the papers. Mr H. H. Joseph, truth. The search of truth will be my onl P. & O. agent at Hongkong, is desirons of object, and in that difficult duty I hope will be able to devote patient and careful consideration. I feel that you have address tionally conveyed by the despatch from H.E. | ed to me far too flattering words, but all I the Governor of Hongkong, (abstract of can say is that they will encourage me in the fulfilment of my duties. They tell me what is expected from me, and leave me November,) where it was stated that the to hope for an impartial view of my con duct in the future. All my efforts will b was on the Committee of the Bokhara Relief trust at the end of my judicial career, whe-Found was not prepared without advice ther it be long or whether it be short will have in some degree merited the kind and far too flattering remarks you have been good enough to use to me. until he had referred to his head office, Gentlemen, allow me to thank you for the

CORRESPONDENCE. THE PRESENT FINANCIAL STATE OF THE COLONY,

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL' Hongkong, 9th December, 1892. Sir. -The following extracts from publiestions which have recently appeared in

Colonial Secretary at His Excellency Ge-Council Meeting onneral Barker in his the 30th November, letter to C. J. Holli-1892 : - We are just day. Eso., 19th No. about to go on the rember, 1892 :- The marketforalosm, and Volunteer corps their (the unofficialischeme: 'As I menmen bers') erroneoustioned to you verbally estimate of the posi-II thoroughly agreed tion of the Colony is with your proposals eminently calculated in the main, though to projudice the creschere were a few mi our loan is obtained work exception; but complete their voyage. on less advantageouslas I feared that unt would, the Colony could be reduced the will have to thankisch me would be it

the unofficial mem-langer of falling bers for it. . . . through, in view of They have made athe present fixmeia serieus tactical blund state of the Colony. or and they have done pointed out how what in them lay to thought certain ecoact at an inopportun- nomice might be effectjuncture in such aed if necessary."

Doubtless His Excellency the General which was held on Friday last in London has been called to order by the Monitor for the purpose of passing the necessary O'Brien, for his exhibition, in company resolutions for the reconstruction of the with the unofficial element, of the lack of company, the measures proposed were all ability to deal with matters of administra-In his letter to Mr Holliday, His Excellency has, unintentionally no doubt. THE Tsuku-ba kan which is now making a shown to the Community the candid opinion survey in the Shimonoseki strait, is said which officials entertain of the Colony's to have discovered a sunken rock not financial state, but which is only admitted mentioned on the charts. The rock lies when money is needed for objects other Probably Mr O'Brien really meant 'off-

MONTAGUE BEART.

CRICKET.

HONGKONG C. C. V. UNITED SERVICES. This match was commenced at tife Cricket Ground this afternoon in dull Capt. ALBERT CROAD side the Old Ningpo Wharf, while the weather. Both sides are strongly represented and a good match is expected. Un. Fladimir, striking her on the starboard fortunately, the Services are weak in side against one of her bulkboarie. The bowling, and as they lost the toss their opponents took full advantage of their opthree of her plates will have to come out, portunity. After Lowson had been dismissed, Firth and Ellis, both of whom batted in nice style, made a prolonged stand, and the score had nearly reached the century when Firth was thrown out by Taylor-a brilliant piece of fielding, which called forth repeated rounds of applause. Ellis's score included a 7-all run-hit off Taylor, and later on E. J. Coxon also had a hit for a like amount. Before being run other States. out by Maitland, Leach compiled 41. His innings, although morred by several floky strokes, was noticeable chiefly for neat placing on the leg side. In all, seven bowlers were tried, and when time sounded Hughes-Hughes was bowling lobs from one end and Liddle fast underhand from the other. Maitland and Ram were together

when the stumps were drawn. By kind permission of Capt, McQubae and the Officers of H.M.S. Impérieuse. the Band of the flagship will be in attend- Dr Ayres is to be judged only by those perance to-more ow afternoon, and will play the following programme :-

Bousquet. La Fetite Marquise
The Mountshanks ..Cellica.

J. A. Lowson, c sub., b Taylor E. C. Ellis, b Liddle C. M. Firth, ran out . Orman, c and b Markham E. J. Coxon, c Hiewicz, b Hughes E. A. Ram, not out... G. S. Coxon To bat Extres,

Total for seven wickets ...... 251

fac goat, a fine animal of its kind, presented a few days ago to the 2nd Royal Welsh Fusiliers by Her Majesty the Queen, to take the place of the goat that was accidentally killed in Wales while the battalion was en route to Aldershot through the Principality about five weeks since, has shown highinsubordinate conduct. On the 31st ult., at its first parade, he refused to accompany the band, butted the drum-major, and charged the 'goat-major' so effectually as to lay that official sprawling on the parade ground. Seeing the mutinous conduct of Billy,' an officer ordered his goatship to be

until he becomes more amenable to military

The following paragraph, clipped from the sporting column of the Gippshand Times of bereav. clober 26th-printed and published six days prior to the running of the Melbourne Cup-is enough to stagger the faculties of the most stubborn of sceptics :- Here is habit -i.e. the oping-smoking habitsomething in the way of a dream lin from willingness to receive and apply it to the hope these remarks have been dictated by a dreamer who has been successful in the same line before. Lust year, a few days be. to give satisfaction to the profession and to fore the Melbourne Cup, a gentleman then to the effects of opium, I cordially agree viz., for the relief of the relatives of those the public in these several offices I have residing in Sale, and well known in the Maffra district, informed a number of friends that he had a dream showing Malvolio as the winner of the Cap, and mentioning his number (I believe No. 8). is not necessary for me to remind sports- dered in the ears of overy member of the men that Malvolio did win. This year orar old friend has given us plenty of notice of a dream similar in character. Whether it will turn out as correct remains to be seen, but the circumstances are certainly very remerkable. A few weeks ago the Malvolio dreamer (who not long ago left this district) wrote to a friend in Sale and told him that he had dreamt that Glevioth won the Cap, and that he saw No. 13 put up. The Cap has not been run, of course, but from the list of acceptances published in to-day's Times it will be observed that it is very likely, indeed, that Glenloth's number will be 13 on the card.' Singularly enough Glenloth was No. 13, and Glenloth won.

> DEAFNESS ABSOLUTELY CURED .- A Gentleman who cured himself of Deafness and Noises in will be pleased to send full particulars free. Address HERBERT CLIPTON, 8, Shepherd's place, Requireston Park, Landon, S.E., Eng.

THE RULE OF THE ROAD AT SEA. The following correspondence appears in the Shanghai papers :-Shanghai, 3rd Dec. 1892.

DEAR SIE,-I beg to forward to you letters I have received from Admiral Franklin, U.S.N., and Admiral Sir G. Naros, R.N. Shortly after the collision of Füshun and the local papers are, to say the least, in- Peking, I wrote to these gentlemen for

warding the local papers containing the inquiry into the case and the judgment. Admiral Nares had, when at the Conference at Washington in 1839, suggested a case similar to the Futhun and Teking. propos are a samual that could be heard. He and all the delegates were evidently under the impression that Mr Gray and his colleagues had framed that signal Sound the Bell at anchor in a Fog' for vessels at anchor in places such as Woosnng, in the river below the buoy, and down to the Lightships, when they may be dit of the Colony. If nor points to which I supposed to have done their best to

Steamers from Shanghai to Tientein terms than otherwise less the estimated cost | passing out through the North Channel at Shaweishan steam into dense fog, thus have 360 miles to go in clear water and they must use speed, they are very much in the same position as the Fusium. Vessels coming from the North, not having sighted Shaweishan, anchor, they are in tho same position as the Peking and should be allowed to use the most efficient warning in your foot-note appended to my letter of they have, 'the steam whistle.'

our own hands: for self-preservation is the | us no harm. first law of nature.

I consider that I had as much right to anchor 80 miles from Hongkong coming up the coast as I had to anchor after I had passed the danger of Bonham. By giving these letters publicity you will

haps, our Chamber of Commerce may become interested in the Rule of the Road. I am, Dear Sir, Yours' faithfully.

Board of Trade, S.W., Colwyn Bay, 7th Sept., 1892. DEAR SIR, -I thank you for sending me

ALBERT CROAD.

the account of collision between the Peking and Fushua in the China Sea. I have reason to believe that an authorised fog signal for a vessel at anchor at sea will shortly be adopted. Yours faithfully,

S. NARES.

Law Offices of Goodrich, Deady & Goodrich, 59 & 61 Wall Street,

Capt ALBERT CROAD, DEAR SIR, -Admiral Franklin hands me results of any 'use' of opium. C. M. may your letter of August 18th, as I was Chairman of the U.S. delegates at the Interna- By all means; but he will permit to others tional Maritime Congress. I will present the case to our State De- favor of another that commends itself

partment as one of the urgent arguments more to their judgment. for an early adoption of our Rules. Until she approves nothing will be done Ayres' report. He might recollect that, no for the general ratification of our action. matter what sources of revenue Hongkong I drew an Act (which Congress at once might draw upon, the salary of the Colonial passed) adopting the rules to go into effect | Surgeon is secure and he has therefore no when the President should proclaim a date. This will depend on general adoption of

Respectfully Yours. W. W. GOODRICH.

DR AYRES ON OPIUM, SMOKING. The following appears in the Singapore Prec Press: --

Sir. - With considerable interest I read issue of Saturday. I agree with you that Dr Avres is a high authority; and as regards the discussion of facts that are strictly within the limits of medical science, sons who, like himself, are competent scientists. But on broader issues that involve other than strictly scientific considerations, the non-scientific mind entitled to its judgment. Quite recently a critic of Professor Huxley said I much prefer Mr Huxley's science to his philosophy.' Dr Ayres' official dignity is not lessened by his being on a level with Professor Huxley here.

Dr Ayres' favourable experiments on misoners show conclusively enough that the policy of forcing men, already opinm-smokers, to abstain from the hubit works well. Dr Ayres has in this prison splindidly possible to reform opium. Ed. S. F. P.] smokers; and the brilliancy of Dr Ayres' results should silince for ever the wicked suggestions urged in abandoned mements by

pro-Opiumists that repressive legislation, i.e. forced separation of opium smokers from their opium, would lead to riots among the people thus forcibly deprived. Of course Dr Ayres does not mean

says nasty things about these good people Yet on the hasis of the policy which he condemns he builds his own superstructure He comes to certain conclusions as to the iniquity of the Anti-opium policy, while he himself, the watchful guardian of prisoners, is steeped in this Anti-opium

Dr Ayres makes undoubtedly a strong and formidable scientific statement when he says 'I have not been able to find that the 'affected them in any way physically or mentally.' Now, Mr Editor, if this i statement be the absolute and final truth as with you in all you say (your statements as to the motives of missionaries being excepted) as to the weakness and flimsiness of the Anti-opium agitation. The sconer in that case this experience of Dr Ayres is thunpresent parliament the better it will be for the interests of truth and British patriotism When I think of Britain's past dealings with China I say in all sincerity that i would be a joy to men to think that Dr Ayres' deliverance on this subject of the effects of opium-smoking is a true statement of the whole case. But I must confess that I am of a sceptical turn of mind-quite as sceptical, I believe, as my old friend 'Opinm' is 'practical.' Dr Ayres' inability to find that the opium habit in any wey affects physically

or mentally, if tantamount to the doctrine that opium-smeking is absolutely, or at any rate comparatively harmless, comes into direct collision with (1) The almost if not altogether universal testimony of the Chinese themselves. (2) The great body of medical men in

(3) The non-scientific experience of many, my humble seif among these.

be considered seriously.

The mass of European medical men in illness and likely to die. is: By parity of argument official first and the neighbouring brothels. a scientist afterwards. Arguments gener- It is melancholy to think of young

Hongkong remind one of the famous ma- can scarcely credit the revolting cruelty of terialist who declared that he bad for a moving a young woman of seventeen in the whole lifetime been dissecting the human agony of her first labour to expire with her been drowned while attempting to land at body, and had never, after all his efforts, offspring in this gruesome home of dirt, Jaffa, in Palestine, the boat in which they found the soul. Soul, he therefore declared, dis use and death. It is not my object to were approaching the coast having been there was none. But Goethe's answer to enlarge on the inhumanity of this pro- upset in the surf. the materialist is that 'we marder in order cedure, or to criticise the superstition CHINESE MISSIONARY.

P.S.—With reference to the suggestion Friday, I shall be very glad along with 56 We have a law that says 'Thou shall do other coolies to do the work of the Pahang

What Chinese Missionary, with a certain dialectical ingenuity, succeeds in conveying in the above letter amounts to the fact that he be 'convinced against his will, 'but recause the case to be ventilated, and, per- mains of the same opinion still.' It is at bottom the same old difficulty of getting on level terms of discussion. The Anti-Opium people, like their friends the Tectotallers, -in almost all cases really much the same peeple-confound 'use' and 'abuse,' and C. M. himself declines to make any distinction. And, to gain their object, the

The testimony of a man like Dr Ayres, who has no bias and does not care twopence one way or the other, but merely goes on year by year analysing and recording and tabulating his observed facts as a matter of scientific interest, outweighs by far a mass of evidence, or rather opinion, put together New York, Sept. 28th, 1892. by men whose interest lies in the direction of presenting 'abuse' symptoms as the only prefer what he calls his 'medical authority.' tality. the liberty to reject that anthority ' in

Our correspondent is also weak in his at-The trouble is with Great Britain tempt to find interested motives in Dr personal interest in the matter. But it is the very pecuniary mainspring of missions in China that a large section of the public in England should be steadily ensouraged by snoh a stimulus as may be found in the turgid hysteria of Anti-opium literature to find mission funds.

As to C. M.'s postscript he has got hadly mixed over the Pahang reference. What journey through Pahang to Selangor a some kindred institution. the extract from the report of Dr Ayres, march of 27 miles was made on the parti- (c). An enquiry into cases of death from discovered in the constellation Andromeda. Colonial Surgeon of Hongkong, on the sub- cular day by a well-loaded partly of 51 childbirth uncertified by a qualified medical It is increasing in brightness. Chinese coolies, who had all been engaged practitioner. Force (not ' Pahang Exploration Company,' track which heavy rain had made difficult, | needed. The whole coolie column, over 200 strong, had, almost to a man, consumed a daily modicum of opium, and did their excellently, often under trying circumstances, sometimes involving forced marches of an arduous nature. The sole difficulty, which amounted to a strike on two or three occasions, was due to opium supplies not getting forward. But that was firmly dealt with and there was

policy of the Anti-Opiumists who -whether carry heavy loads 27 miles over mountains, ed to the opposing political faction. they succeed in their good intentions or not C. M. doesn't say whether he, although LORD SALISBURY AND THE NONCONFORMISTS. is another question, aim at a complete challenged to do so, would undertake that | London, Nov. 11. - Lord Salisbury adsurpression of the opium traffic. The aim feat, but his offer of service with any dressed a great meeting of the Nonconit, is to make the entire body politic so far The pay is \$1 a day, and he will pay for Memorial Hell yesterday. He earnestly

CHARNEL HOUSES IN SINGAPORE Attached to the President's monthly report is a report by the Health Officer to the Singapore Municipality (says the Free flatter Anti-opiumists. On the contrary he Press) which discloses a revolting state of affairs. Dr Dumbleton says :-

> In a pravious minute on overcrowding drew passing attention to the insanitary condition of a class of houses which believed to be charitable institutions designed for the sick poor. Some of these are doubtless genuine houses for the poor. and give shelter to fraternities of mendicants who would otherwise make use verandaha or live .n. the streats. places are unobjectionable compared with the charnel houses, where the sick and dying are brought to prevent their expiring at home, established not from any motive of charity but from the dread, on the part of the more superstitions, of the spirit of the dying haunting its earthly abode and tormenting its. former companions. am not in a position to say how many places of this kind there may be scattered about the town, they escape observation from the secreoy with which they are managed until the accidental discovery of a corpse discloses their real character. Such a house is 5, Sago Lane, regularly visited by our inspectors without attracting special notice until the occurrence of seven deaths on the premises between September 4 and September 22 aroused my suspicion, and an inspection disclosed practices which to say the least are most irregular and liable to be attended with cruelty and suffering. The interior of this house somewhat resembles a small temple and is furnished with alters, tablets, candles and other accessories to worship, funeral paraphernalia, and a bed and beach for the two old and

infirm carctakors. The first floor, approached by a narrow staircase, partly obstructed by long poles signed on Saturday last. for bearing the dead, is used as a club or

meeting room. The second fapor is a mere loft without a particle of furniture, a small room being

We may waive the first and third of partitioned off at one end. From a residthese three classes. Their testimony has, ent in the neighbourhood I tearnt that this it is true, a certain value; but as the scien- house had been maintained for many years of New Zealand proposes to continue the tific mind is difficult to please, only the by the Macao brothel-keepers, and was de- present trans-Pacific service by running a second class as above indicated remains to | signed for the reception of the inmates of their houses when stricken with serious couver, and San Francisco.

China are not Colonial Surgeons but Chris- It will be seen on referring to the dutian Missionaries. Now, for non-scientific plicate copy of the District Registrar's re- been commissioned to replace H.M.S. Calpersons like myself the issue in the main is turns, which I enclose, that in eighteen liope on the north-west African station. simply this: Which medical authority is to days seven deaths took place in this house, be believed? There are many medical men five infants and two young women. One in China not a few of whom hold a high of the latter died in childbirth. The ma- expressing the opinion that Mr Henry Itplace in the medical profession who, in the jority of these deaths were reported by a ving's recent production of King Lear has most unqualified manner, condemn opium woman who acts as manager and funeral been an entire success. His impersonation as a pernicious and destructive drug. We furnisher to this establishment. I found of the leading part is characterised as are however, reminded straightway that her in an undertaker's shop in Macao magnificent, and as the greatest of his creasuch medical men are missionaries first and Street. She admitted that the house was tions. Mr. W. J. Holloway took part in scientists afterwards. The answer to this intended for the sick and dying inmates of the performance.

ally out two ways. Is it after all, then, children brought into this charnel house supposed to be either the Calypso or the unprovided with the barest necessaries for Cleopatra, has been disabled 500 miles off Dr Ayres' experiments with prisoners in the comfort and care of the sick, but one the Lizard. Assistance has been sent. from whence it arises, but to urge the necessity, if the practice must continue, of having these places under direct control to insure their sanitation, the com- | the Oxford and Cambridge boat-race, to be

mitigate all needless pain and suffering. no murder,' yet if one of us slay the man Exploration Company on condition that you The women for whom these institutions are that attacks us, the law allows us to go clear, give us plenty of money and opium, and on intended and maintained are peculiarly but still we must have taken the law into the further condition that the opinion will do helpless, their life is such that to be without disease is difficult; to be in health impossible. All the more, therefore, do they | declaration that the civil ceremony of marrequire protection when rendered ton times more helpless by the invasion of Ministry of Count Julius Szapary and the illness or the occurrence of pregnancy. King of Hungary (Emperor Francis Joseph) Month by month these deaths from not by Dr Ayres nor by anybody else will childbirth are reported. In last month's returns five are recorded, and two others, attributed to fever and colic, I have Weish Miners' Federation has issued a since discovered to be of this nature. manifesto stating that 90,000 miners are of a young Chinese woman permitted to British miners to prevent any reduction of die undelivered. The native practitioner pronounced her case hopeless and no skilled assistance was called. Another young woman of the same nationality, who never process sought to be applied by both classes regained her health after parturition, and he had written to the Marquis of Ripon, of agitators is the extinction of personal li- being unable to support her child, handed Secretary of State for the Colonies, accusberty, and the compelling the vast majority, it over to the sisters of the French Convent | ing Lord Knutsford, lately Secretary of who limit themselves to a moderate and be- and ends her life in a similar place to 5 State for the Colonies, and Baron de nesicial use, to surrender that liberty be- Sago Lane. To day comes another death Worms, lately Parliamentary Undercause a minority may carry that use over of a young woman in No. 5 Sago Lane, re. Secretary for the same department, of ported by the Chinese practitioner to have malfonsance in connection with the disdied of wind and swollen legs.' But in criminating by the Perth Government all probability from some disorder of preg- against British pearl-fishing vessels. nancy. I need not multiply cases, for they all speak of a similar phase of suffering and neglect, of human beings treated Show to-day was very poor. Many parts

become troublesome or unprofitable. When such little regard is paid to par- was often hissed as the procession passed turient women we would, as a natural se- slong. The ultra-Protestants refrained quence, expect a high rate of infant mor- from attending the show.

Moreover, there is abundant evidence, either that the responsibilities of parentage in an article in Greater Britain, condemns are not acceptable to a certain section of the wholesale violence of Lord Ripon's prothe Chinese community, female children cedure in connection with the nominations being especially at a discount; or, that to the Legislative Council in New Zealand from extreme poverty, mothers are incaps. He says that the Secretary of State's action ble of adequately providing for their child- in this case has virtually annihilated the ren and leave them in a moribund condition | Council, besides putting the knife to the at the convent, where, during the present throats of the Councils in New South year, upwards of seventy have died. In my opinion there is an avoidable loss of life which should be checked. I would

The registration of all these houses for the reception of the sick and dying, and an immediate notification of admissions into them. (b). The removal of inmates of brothels

when far advanced in pregnancy or when was pointed out was that on the return seriously ill to the Maternity Hospital or

at work with the Pahang Expeditionary | The stablishment of a creche independ ently, or in connection with some of the as C. M. has it.) That march was made charmies, would best meet the requirement over a lefty range of mountains and along a | of infants and is, as far as I can see, much

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN

MAIL THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

London, November 24.-Great demonstrations of rejoicing have taken place throughout the United States over Cleveland's victory in the late presidential election. A number of Democrata were holding carnival in a schoolhouse in Now according to the onnous of opium Arkansas, when a bomb was suddenly literature these men ought to have been exploded, killing four rersons and wound-'opium wrecks,' and to have been unfit to ing fifteen others. The building was com report of his paid a high tribute to the carry themselves any distance, much less pletely wrecked. The outrage is attribut-

of the Anti-Opium party, as I understand future expedition will be borne in mind, formist Liberal-Unionist Association in the as forced exclusion from opium is concerned his opium out of that, and the writer will entreated the Government to retain Uganda a Hongkong prison on a large scale. In guarantee that after the day's work that and kill the slave trade. The Empire, he Hongkong gaol Dr Ayres has under the will be taken out of him the opium will do said, was on the verge of a most critical required conditions, proved that it is him no harm whatever, but the contrary .- period. The Nonconformists in Ireland were exposed to the greatest danger to which Profestants of the British isles had ever been exposed, and they had a commanding claim upon the sympathy and aid of their co-religionists in England. Archbishop Walah had threatened to obtain absolute dominion over the Protestants, despite the unfailing virtuous optimism of Mr Gladstone.

Referring to the Irish Evicted Tenants' Commission, Lord Salisbury said he attached no serious importance to the decision of the partisan president of a packed commission. Home Rule would produce a saturnalia of insolvent debtors, bringing wos and disaster to all minorities, financial political, and religious. Mr Joseph Chemberlain wrote, advising

the Nonconformists to reconsider their support to the Government, whose policy, he said, was one of scuttle, surrender, and betraval of those who trusted in British honour. He scathingly condemned the Irish THE IRISH COMMISSION.

London, Nov. 11 .- Mr E. Murphy and

Mr Murrough O'Brien, members of the Irish Evicted Tenants' Commission, have withdrawn. Mr O'Brien's rosson for resign. ing is that he has been appointed a mem- T ber of the Land Commission. Mr Justice Mathew, the President, warned the tenants that he had no power w to reinstate them. He could only report R to Parliament. He advised them not to

Nov. 11 .- An impression prevails it Dublin that the Evicted Irish Tonants' Commission will speedily collapse. A third member of the Commission likely to withdraw, leaving only Mr Justice Mathew and another.

Mr Murphy resigned on account of the objection which he held to the tone of Mr BAROMETER- DA.M.... 30.14 Justice Mathew's opening address. HUSSIA AND PRANCE. London, Nov. 11 .- The Purisian journal Le Matin states that a preliminary treaty of alliance between Russia and France was

THE NEW HEBRIDES QUESTION. London, Nov. 11.-Mr Higginson has written to the Parisian papers denying the statement that he was forming a company for the exploitation of the New Hebrides,

NEW STEAMSHIP ROUTE London, Nov. 11.—The Union Company line of steamers between Australasia, Van-

H.M.S. 'SATELLITE.' London, Nov. 11. - H.M.S. Satellite has

MR HENRY TRYING'S KING LEAR. London, Nov. 11.—The press united in

A BRITISH CRUISER DISABLED." London, Nov. 10 .- A British cruiser, JAFFA TOURISTS DROWNED IN THE SURF.

London, Nov. 10. -Twelve tourists have UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE CUP.

London, Nov. 11.—A massive silver challenge cup has been presented to the Universities of Australia by old competitors in fort and care of the inmates, and to competed for yearly. Mr Muttlebury is one of the principal donors. HUNGARIAN AFFAIRS.

London, Nov. 9.-M. Tisza, the Hungarian statesman, has placed himself at the head of a movement to obtain an immediate riage is obligatory in Hungary, and There oppose secular marriages. THE WEISH MINERS.

London, Nov. 10 .- The executive of the To give a few instances, here is one desirous of joining the federation of

A PEARLER'S CHARGE. London, Nov. 9. -Mr Haynes, a Western

THE LORD MAYOR ELECT HISSED. London, Nov. 9.-The Lord Mayor's as mere chattels to be got rid of when they of the city displayed no bunting, and the Lord Mayor Elect, Alderman Stuart Knill,

NOMINEE COUNCILS. London, Nov. 11. -Mr G. W. Rusden, Wales and Queensland.

FINANCE COMPANY. London, Nov. 10 .- The Hon. Sir Roland Vaughan Williams, Judge of the Bankruptcy Court, has granted a winding-up order against the English and Australian Mortgage Bank, but instructed the official receiver to take no steps without leave of Court, owing to liquidation proceeding in Australia. A NEW COMET.

THE LATE DUKE OF MARLEOROUGH.

London, Nov. 10 .- Lord Randolph Churchill has issued a denial of the report that the late Duke of Marlborough, his brother, committed suicide.

The cause of death was heart disease. London. Nov. 10.-A match between Lord Rosslyn's b h Buccaneer, by Privateer-Primula, 4 years, and Colonel North's b h Nanthorpe, by Speculum or Camballo -Matilda, 6 years, was decided to-day, when the first-named was victorious.

THE OUTPUT OF GOLD IN SOUTH AFRICA. London, Nov. 24.—Returns just published show the total output of gold from South Africa last year to have amounted to 700,000 ounces. SIR H. PARKES' NEW ROOK.

London, Nov. 24.—Sir Henry Parkes'

new book, just published, has been very favourably criticised by the London press. THE CHOLERA. London, Nov. 34 .- Asiatio cholera again raging at Bruges, Brussels, Belgium, Hague, Cherbourg, and St. Petersburg, The disease is of a virulent type, and

numerous deaths are reported. NICARAGUA DANAL. London, Nov. 24.-The Nicaragua Canal Company are urging upon the United States Government the advisability of issuing bonds for one hundred million dollars in order to enable the company to complete the work.

Quotations.

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